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# Council and Main Committees

## Council of the University

### Changes in Regulations

Council has made the following changes in regulations, to come into effect on **19 December**.

#### (a) University Sports Strategic Subcommittee of the Education Committee

##### *Explanatory Note*

The following changes, made on the recommendation of Education Committee, amend the membership of the University Sports Strategic Subcommittee of the Education Committee to allow the chair of the subcommittee to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of Education Committee, so that the chair can be drawn from a wider pool than members of Education Committee.

An update is also made to replace the term 'chairman' with the gender-neutral term 'chair'.

##### *Text of Regulations*

In Part 30 of Council Regulations 15 of 2002, concerning the University Sports Strategic Subcommittee of the Education Committee, amend existing regulation 30.1 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'30.1. The University Sports Strategic Subcommittee of the Education Committee shall consist of:

- (1) a ~~chairman~~ appointed by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of ~~from amongst the members of~~ Education Committee;
- (2) one of the Proctors or the Assessor as may be agreed between them;
- (3), (4) two persons elected by the Conference of Colleges;
- (5) one person from amongst the four academic divisions as may be agreed between the divisions;
- (6) one person appointed by the Director of Estates;
- (7) the President of the Men's Blues Committee;

(8) the President of the Women's Blues Committee;

(9) the President of the Sports Federation;

(10) the Director of Sport;

(11) the Head of Development - Sport;

(12) the Director of Student Administration and Services;

(13) a staff representative<sup>1</sup>;

(14) a sabbatical officer of the Oxford University Student Union, nominated by that body.'

#### (b) Regulations for Procedures Concerning Fitness to Teach During the Course of the PGCE Programme

##### *Explanatory Note*

The following changes, made on the recommendation of the Social Sciences Divisional Board, amend the regulations for the Procedures Concerning Fitness to Teach During the Course of the PGCE to (i) replace 'Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses)' with 'PGCE Course Director' following changes in roles and responsibilities in the Department of Education; and (ii) replace 'Criminal Records Bureau report' with 'Disclosures and Barring Service check' (and thus 'CRB' with 'DBS') following structural changes in the Home Office. The opportunity is also taken to replace references to 'chairman' with 'chair'.

##### *Text of Regulations*

**1** In Council Regulations 8 of 2006, concerning the Procedures Concerning Fitness to Teach During the Course of the PGCE Programme, delete existing regulations 1–27 and substitute (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'1. Any determination by the Department of Education of a student's fitness to teach as a result of a student's alleged conduct or behaviour, must take place strictly in accordance with the procedures set out below. Where, after appropriate consultation, it appears

that the student's alleged conduct or behaviour may be the result of, or the student is otherwise suffering from, ill health, the procedure set out below must be followed.

2. If at any stage of the proceedings set out below it should become apparent that the student's alleged problems may be caused by ill health, the fitness to teach procedures shall be stopped and the procedures set out in Part B of Statute XIII shall be invoked.

3. A member of staff or a student of the Department, or a member of the staff of the school where the PGCE student is placed, who has concerns that a student enrolled on the PGCE is suffering from ill health, conducts him or herself in such a way as to raise concerns about, or demonstrates any traits or indicators which may affect, his or her fitness to teach is under a duty to report this to the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses). These concerns should be put in writing and signed. Anonymous representations will not normally be considered.

4. If it appears to the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) that the matter is one solely of conduct or behaviour, as opposed to ill health, the PGCE Course Director will consider whether the matter can be dealt with informally within the Department. If it cannot and, after appropriate consultation (if necessary with the school of placement concerned), the PGCE Course Director considers there to be a case against the student, that, as a result of his or her conduct or behaviour, the student may have committed an offence or offences under the University Statutes, the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) will notify the Proctors of this in writing. If such matters come to the attention of the Proctors independently the Proctors will inform the PGCE Course Director.

5. When such a referral is made, the PGCE Course Director will also notify the Proctors that the outcome of any

<sup>1</sup>This is an agreed appointment by the Joint Committee for University Support Staff (JCUS) and Joint Committee with UCU (University and College Union).

investigation and/or disciplinary proceedings may have an impact on the student's fitness to teach, and that accordingly, the PGCE Course Director must be notified of the outcome.

6. If the Proctors decide to investigate the matter as a disciplinary matter under Statute XI, the Department cannot make its determination of the student's fitness to teach before the outcome of disciplinary proceedings, including any appeals proceedings. A determination made under Statute XI will not amount to a judgement of a student's fitness to teach. This is a decision to be made by the Director of the Department of Education, in the light of any disciplinary determination made.

7. Before the commencement of any investigation into the conduct of a PGCE student, whether by the Proctors under the University disciplinary procedures, or by the Department under the procedures set out below, it will be for the Director of the Department of Education to determine the status of the student during the investigation.

8. In such cases, it will be for the Director of the Department of Education to decide whether the student may:

- (1) continue on the PGCE course without limitation;
- (2) continue on the PGCE but with specified limitations and conditions;
- (3) be suspended from the register of PGCE students.

9. The student will be informed of the decision as regards his or her status when he or she is notified of the commencement of the investigation. The Director of the Department of Education may review the status of the student at any stage of the investigation.

10. The student may appeal to the Proctors against a decision by the Director of the Department of Education to suspend him or her from the PGCE. The student will remain suspended pending the outcome of such an appeal.

11. Where the Proctors decide not to carry out an investigation into the student's conduct under the University's disciplinary proceedings, an investigation will be carried out by the Department. The PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) will inform the student in writing of the commencement of the investigation, the grounds of the investigation, and of the student's status during it. The student's college will also be informed.

12. The PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) will refer the case to a suitably trained senior member of the Department, who has had no previous involvement with the individual concerned, to investigate the matter and to produce a report. The student, and any other persons who have relevant knowledge of the events and/or circumstances surrounding the matter, will be invited to attend an interview. The investigator will be accompanied by another senior member of the department, and the student, or other person being interviewed, is entitled to be accompanied by another member of the University. Notes of any interview will be taken and the interviewee will be entitled to receive a typed copy of these notes.

13. The investigation will be undertaken expeditiously, and in a manner that is fair and proportionate to the issues in question. In any event, the Department will endeavour to complete the investigation and notify the student of the outcome within twenty-eight days of its notifying the student of the investigation.

14. When the investigation is completed, the investigator will produce a written report of his or her findings to the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses). If, in the opinion of the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) the findings of the report require further consideration, a committee will be appointed as set out below. If not, the student will be notified by the PGCE

Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) that the matter is at an end.

15. The Director of the Department of Education will appoint a committee of three to consider the investigator's report and to adjudicate the case. The committee shall include one member who is a Principal or Headteacher representing the partnership schools. No member of the committee shall have had any involvement or interest in the case, or be a current or former teacher of the student. The Director shall nominate one member of the committee to act as its chairman.

16. The student will be required to attend the meeting of the committee in person and will be given not less than four working days' notice of the date and time of the meeting. If the student fails to attend the meeting without a reasonable explanation, which is to be determined at the discretion of the Chairman, the committee will consider the case in the student's absence. The student is entitled to be accompanied by a friend, relative, student representative or, where suspension or termination of the student's PGCE studies is being considered, by a lawyer ("the friend"). The committee is entitled to call upon other appropriate persons to give evidence. The meeting will be held in public unless the student wishes it to be held in private or the Chair chairman considers that this is in the best interests of the student. All evidence or material submitted as part of the investigation will be regarded as strictly confidential, unless, following consideration of submissions, the committee decides otherwise.

17. The following points shall serve as a guide to the conduct of the meeting. They may be varied at the discretion of the Chairman if he or she considers that, as a result, the matter will be dealt with more effectively.

- (1) Not less than four days prior to the meeting, the Committee Secretary shall ensure that the student has

copies of all documents circulated to members of the committee, and is aware of the proceedings to be followed.

(2) The Chairman will introduce by name and explain the function of the members of the committee and any others present. The Chairman will explain the powers of the committee and invite the Director (or his or her nominee) to make an opening statement, who may then be asked questions. Other members of staff of the Department attending will be invited to make a statement and may also be asked questions. The student will then be asked to make a statement, and the members of the committee may then ask questions. At each stage the Chairman has discretion to allow reciprocal questioning by the various parties.

(3) Once the Chairman is satisfied that the committee has completed its questioning, and both the student and the Department have had a full opportunity to present the information to the committee, the parties will withdraw whilst the committee considers the case. Should the committee require further clarification of any point, all the parties will be recalled whilst further questioning takes place.

(4) The Chairman shall have discretion to adjourn the proceedings.

18. Following the consideration of the case, the committee shall produce a written report. It may make one of the following recommendations to the Director of the Department of Education:

(1) that the student be permitted to continue with the PGCE course;

(2) that the student be suspended for a specified time with or without conditions attached;

(3) that the student and/or the Department be required to undertake other reasonable action considered appropriate by the committee to

enable the student's successful completion of the PGCE;

(4) that the student be removed from the Register of PGCE students.

19. The decision of the Director of the Department of Education, based upon the recommendation of the committee, together with any findings of fact, will be communicated by the Director of the Department to the student and to the other parties, including the student's college and the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) as soon as possible. The outcome of the hearing will be published, but the reasons for it will be regarded as confidential between the University, the student and any relevant regulatory bodies.

20. If an internal University disciplinary procedure has resulted in a PGCE student's conviction of a breach of University regulations or a penalty in the light of a criminal conviction, the Proctors will provide the Director of the Department of Education with relevant information so that a procedure equivalent to that under regulations 11-17 can be followed if appropriate.

21. The student has a right to submit an appeal against a decision made by the Director of the Department of Education under regulations 1-19 to the Appeal Court. During the consideration of any such appeal, the student shall remain suspended.

### **Medical incapacity**

22. If at any stage in the proceedings it should become apparent that the student's alleged problems are caused by ill health, the fitness to teach procedures shall be stopped and the procedures set out in Part B of Statute XIII shall be invoked.

23. Any investigation into, or disciplinary proceedings relating to the conduct of the student cannot commence, or must be adjourned, pending the finding of the procedures under Part B of Statute XIII. Until the Proctors shall have had the time to consider any case of medical

student ill health referred to them, the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses) shall have the power to suspend the student from the Register of PGCE Students and hence from the PGCE course. A student may appeal to the Proctors against such suspension.

24. Where the student is not found to be suffering from ill health, the matter may be referred back to the Proctors or the PGCE Course Director of Graduate Studies (Professional Courses), as the case may be, who may commence, or reinstate, the investigatory or disciplinary proceedings relating to the conduct of the student as referred to above.

25. Whilst the determination of the student's fitness to teach is a matter for the Director of the Department of Education, he or she will take into account any findings under regulation 22.

### **Confidentiality**

#### **Medical Records**

26. Any information provided by a student to a medical adviser is confidential. The medical adviser cannot use that information for any purpose other than that for which it was provided, without the student's express consent. Anyone who receives medical information about the student from the medical adviser is similarly under a duty of confidence. Exceptions to this duty of confidentiality may apply where the student appears to be at risk of self harm or poses a risk to the health and/or safety of others.

#### **Criminal Records Bureau report Disclosure and Barring Service ('DBS') check**

27. It is a criminal offence to disclose any information revealed by an enhanced CRB/DBS disclosure report. It is however permissible for the authorised counter-signatory to the application, in the course of his or her duties, to share the information with other members of the Department or University, if those other

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persons need the information for the purpose of carrying out their duties. The information can also be passed on to a Government department.'

**2** These regulations shall be effective from **1 January 2015**.

## (c) Changes to regulations for the Professorship of Poetry

### *Explanatory Note*

When Council agreed changes to the terms and conditions of the Professorship of Poetry in 2012, an outdated reference in the legislation was overlooked. A further minor change is therefore proposed.

### *Text of Regulations*

In Section III of Council Regulations 24 of 2002, concerning academic and other posts, in the regulations relating to the Professor of Poetry on the Foundation of Henry Birkhead delete existing regulation 7 and substitute as follows (new text underlined, deleted text struck through):

'7. The provisions of Council Regulations 5 of 2004 and regulation 6 of Council Regulations 3 of 2004 Sect. I, § 4, cl. 3, shall not apply to the Professorship of Poetry.'

## Council of the University

### Register of Congregation

Mr Vice-Chancellor reports that the following names have been added to the Register of Congregation:

**Campbell, J**, Clinical Neurosciences  
**Harty, T P**, St John's  
**O'Connell, P**, Development Office  
**Sansom, S N**, Faculty of Clinical Medicine

### Divisional and Faculty Boards

For changes in regulations for examinations see 'Examinations and Boards' below.

## Consultative Notices

### Congregation Discussion on possible changes to Statute XII

The transcript of the Discussion in Congregation on possible changes to Statute XII was published in the *Gazette* of 27 November 2014. Further comments from members of the University are welcome and should be sent to [sarah.thonemann@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:sarah.thonemann@admin.ox.ac.uk) by **5pm on 12 December**.

### Review of Estates Services

On behalf of Council and its committees, Professor Richard Hobbs will chair a review of Estates Services in Hilary term 2015. The terms of reference for the review are set out below. The review committee would welcome written comments on matters falling within its terms of reference. These should be sent to Ms Pamela Flood, University Offices, Wellington Square (email: [pamela.flood@admin.ox.ac.uk](mailto:pamela.flood@admin.ox.ac.uk)), by **7 January**.

### MEMBERSHIP OF THE REVIEW PANEL

*Chair:* Professor Richard Hobbs, Primary Care Health Sciences

*Academic Services and University Collections:* Ms Laura How, Bodleian Libraries

*Humanities Division:* Professor Bjarke Frellesvig, Faculty Chair, Oriental Studies

*Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Division:* Professor Chris Grovenor, Head of Department, Materials

*Medical Sciences Division:* Professor Hugh Watkins, Head of Department, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

*Social Sciences Division:* Mr Calum Miller, Blavatnik School of Government

*University Administration and Services:* Mr Julian Duxfield, Director of Human Resources

*Departmental Administrators:* Ms Rosie Mortimer, Head of Administration, Chemistry

*Colleges:* Mr Bart Ashton, Domestic Bursar, Lady Margaret Hall

*External:* Mr Tony Sibthorpe, external member, Budget Subcommittee

*Senior Proctor:* Dr Kate Blackmon, Saïd Business School

*Secretary:* Ms Judith Finch, Planning and Resource Allocation Section

*Secretary:* Ms Pamela Flood, Planning and Resource Allocation Section

## TERMS OF REFERENCE

The group will report its findings to Council via the Planning and Resource Allocation Committee and to Congregation via the Registrar.

The group will consider the following aspects of a service:

1. The scope of a service, identifying major elements. Review the strategy for delivery of the service, considering how such services are delivered elsewhere, and suggest areas for investment and for contraction over the coming years.
2. Review the locus of a service: which elements are delivered centrally and which locally in departments, and the implications of this for risk, cost and potential shared services.
3. The impact on service users; what level of service is being received; gaps or duplication in the delivery of the service. Consider the effect of interaction with other services.
4. Benchmarking against suitable organisations on key measures of performance including cost.
5. Review the cost and structure of staffing and benchmark this against similar services in other institutions.
6. Review duplication and gaps in provision, consider ways of working and outputs that are no longer required or add value; challenge incentives to localise and duplicate services.
7. Review whether the true costs of a service are understood and priced in a way that encourages good practice, while minimising the overall cost including transaction costs.



8. In light of the above, review the budgets of a service and consider whether changes are required. Review whether the service could be delivered at a lower cost.

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## General Notices

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### **Gazette distribution arrangements**

#### **PUBLICATION DATES**

The final *Gazette* of Michaelmas term will be published on 11 December.

The first *Gazette* of Hilary term will be published on 15 January. The usual deadlines will apply.

#### **SUBSCRIPTIONS FROM HILARY TERM**

From the start of Hilary term 2015, we are changing the way in which deliveries of the *Gazette* are managed. This also affects the other publications delivered alongside the *Gazette*.

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#### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information see the full notice in *Gazette* No 5074, 23 October 2014, and for the answers to frequently asked questions, please see [www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/subs](http://www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/subs).

### **Teaching Excellence Awards 2014**

The Teaching Excellence Awards for 2013–14 were presented by the Vice-Chancellor at a reception at Rhodes House on 24 November. Introducing the event, the Vice-Chancellor spoke of the importance of acknowledging the dedicated work across the University both of teachers and of those whose technical and professional expertise, for instance in libraries, laboratories and computing, make an essential contribution to the support of learning by our students. In all, 39 awards were made this year by the Humanities, Social Sciences and MPLS Divisions, and there were also awards from the Department for Continuing Education, the Bodleian Libraries and from the OxTALENT award scheme, which recognises best practice in the use of IT in teaching. 15 of the awards were grants for the development of new courses or teaching resources. In addition, the event celebrated the achievement of the winners of this summer's OUSU Student-led Teaching Awards. The full list of awards and winners can be seen online at: [www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/teachingawards](http://www.ox.ac.uk/gazette/teachingawards).

### **Museum of the History of Science**

#### **CHANGE TO OPENING TIMES**

The Museum of the History of Science will change its opening hours from 2 January. From this date the opening times will become consistent across the week. The new opening hours will be Tuesday–Sunday, noon–5pm. The museum will be closed on Mondays as currently.

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## Appointments

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### **Humanities**

#### **PROFESSORSHIP OF THE STUDY OF THE ABRAHAMIC RELIGIONS**

**Anna Brechta Sapir Abulafia**, MA LittD Camb, Cand PhD Amsterdam, Fellow, College Lecturer and Director of Studies in History, Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge, has been appointed to the Professorship of the Study of the Abrahamic Religions in the Faculty of Theology and Religion with effect from 1 April 2015. Dr Abulafia will be a fellow of Lady Margaret Hall.

### **MERTON PROFESSORSHIP OF ENGLISH LITERATURE**

**Lorna Hutson**, MA DPhil Oxf, Alexander Berry Professor of English Literature, School of English, University of St Andrews, has been appointed to the Merton Professorship of English Literature in the Faculty of English Language and Literature with effect from 1 September 2016. Professor Hutson will be a fellow of Merton.

### **Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences**

#### **APPOINTMENTS**

##### *Associate Professor*

With the approval of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board, the following appointments have been made:

**Julien Berestycki**, DEA ENSAE, PhD Paris VI, Fellow of Magdalen. In Probability and Statistics. From 1 June 2014 to 31 May 2019.

**Dan Ciubotaru**, BS MA Babeş-Bolyai, PhD Cornell, Fellow of Somerville. In Pure Mathematics. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

**Maarten De Vos**, MSc PhD KU Leuven, Fellow of Kellogg. In Engineering Science (Biomedical Engineering). From 8 September 2014 to 7 September 2019.

**Radek Erban**, PhD Minnesota, RNDr Prague, Fellow of Merton. In Applied Mathematics. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

**Paul Goulart**, BSc MSc MIT, PhD Camb, Fellow of St Edmund Hall. In Engineering Science (Control Engineering). From 22 September 2014 to 21 September 2019.

**Nicholas Tosca**, BSc Albany, MS PhD Stony Brook, Fellow of St Peter's. Sackler-Clarendon Associate Professorship of Sedimentary Geology. From 1 September 2014 to 31 August 2019.

**Matti Vihola**, Lic MSc Tampere, DPhil Jyväskylä, Fellow of Mansfield. In Statistics. From 1 August 2014 to 31 July 2019.

**REAPPOINTMENTS***Associate Professor*

With the approval of the Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board, the following reappointments have been made:

**Suzanne Aigrain**, MSci Imp, MA Oxf, PhD Camb, Fellow of All Souls. Professor of Astrophysics. From 17 January 2015 to retirement.

**Philip Blunsom**, BEng PhD Melbourne, Fellow of St Hugh's. In Computer Science (Information Systems). From 1 October 2014 to retirement.

**Hanqing Jin**, BA MPhil Nankai, PhD Hong Kong, Fellow of St Peter's. In Mathematical Finance. From 1 October 2013 to retirement.

**Andrew Ker**, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of University College. In Computer Science (Security). From 1 September 2014 to retirement.

**Alan Lauder**, MSc Glas, MA Oxf, PhD Lond, Fellow of Hertford. In Mathematics. From 1 October 2013 to retirement.

**David Lucas**, MA DPhil Oxf, Fellow of Balliol. In Experimental Quantum Optics. From 1 October 2014 to retirement.

**Colin Macdonald**, BSc Acadia, MSc PhD Simon Fraser, Fellow of Oriel. From 1 October 2014 to retirement.

**Budimir Rosic**, MSc Dipl Ing Belgrade, PhD Camb, Fellow of St Anne's. In Engineering Science (Turbomachinery). From 1 September 2014 to retirement.

**Vlatko Vedral**, BSc PhD Imp, Fellow of Wolfson. Professor of Quantum Information Science. From 1 June 2014 to retirement.

**Sarah Waters**, MA Camb, PhD Leeds. Professor of Applied Mathematics, Fellow of St Anne's. From 18 November 2014 to retirement.

**Alfons Weber**, MA Oxf, Dr rer nat Dipl Phys Aachen, Fellow of Pembroke. Professor of Physics. From 1 September 2014 to retirement.

**Giulia Zanderighi**, BSc Milan, MA Oxf, PhD Pavia, Fellow of Wadham. Professor of Physics. From 18 November 2014 to retirement.

**CONFERMENTS OF TITLE***Associate Professor*

The Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Divisional Board has conferred the title of Associate Professor on the following:

**Harish Bhaskaran**, Department of Materials

**Kam Chana**, Department of Engineering Science

**Richard Cooper**, Department of Chemistry

**Bernardo Cuenca Grau**, Department of Computer Science

**Ivan Flechais**, Department of Computer Science

**Peter Gething**, Department of Zoology

**Michael Goldsmith**, Department of Computer Science

**Manus Henry**, Department of Engineering Science

**Felix Hofmann**, Department of Engineering Science

**Wei Huang**, Department of Engineering Science

**Stefan Kiefer**, Department of Computer Science

**Sergio Lozano-Perez**, Department of Materials

**Matthew McGilvray**, Department of Engineering Science

**Peter Minary**, Department of Computer Science

**Shabaz Mohammed**, Departments of Chemistry and Biochemistry

**Colin O'Halloran**, Department of Computer Science

**Stanislav Živný**, Department of Computer Science

**Medical Sciences****CONFERMENTS OF TITLE***Associate Professor*

The Medical Sciences Board has conferred the title of Associate Professor upon the following:

**Naomi Allen**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Olaf Ansorge**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Charis Antoniadis**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Radu Aricescu**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Victoria Maria Bajo Lorenzana**, Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

**Stephen Baker**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Christian Becker**, Nuffield Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

**James Berkley**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Angie Bethel**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Rafal Bogacz**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Maciej Boni**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Louise Bowman**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Holly Bridge**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Angela Brueggemann**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Veronica Buckle**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Peter Bull**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Zameel Cader**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Elizabeth Carpenter**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Steven Chance**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Andrea Cipriani**, Department of Psychiatry

**Gary Collins**, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

**Ben Cooper**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Jeremy Day**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Marella de Bruijn**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Gabriele de Luca**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Lucy Dorrell**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Hal Drakesmith**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Simon Draper**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Jonathan Emberson**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Andrew Farmery**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Charles Foster**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**John Frater**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Tudor Fulga**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Dominic Furniss**, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

**Robert Gilbert**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Deborah Gill**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Ron Gray**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Jonathan Grimes**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Esther Hammond**, Department of Oncology

**Maria-Andreia Hawkins**, Department of Oncology

**Richard Haynes**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Ling-Pei Ho**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Leanne Hodson**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Jennifer Hollowell**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Jemma Hopewell**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Peter Horby**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Nicole Horwood**, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

**Jim Hughes**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Astrid Iversen**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Andrew Judge**, Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

**Ed Juszcak**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Anne Kiltie**, Department of Oncology

**Morten Kringelbach**, Department of Psychiatry

**Kristine Krug**, Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

**Bethan Lang**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Neurosciences

**Daniel Lasserson**, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

**Ming Lei**, Department of Pharmacology

**Belinda Lennox**, Department of Psychiatry

**Sarah Lewington**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Cecilia Lindgren**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Ji-Long Liu**, Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

**Louise Locock**, Nuffield Department of Primary Care Health Sciences

**Gerton Lunter**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Craig Lygate**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

**Valentine Macaulay**, Department of Oncology

**Paul McGale**, Nuffield Department of Population Health

**Clare Mackay**, Department of Psychiatry

**Margaret Mackinnon**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Enda McVeigh**, Nuffield Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

**Erika Mancini**, Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine

**Adam Mead**, Radcliffe Department of Medicine

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Department of Population Health

**Krina Zondervan**, Nuffield Department  
of Clinical Medicine

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### Visiting Professorships

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#### Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences Board

##### CONFERMENTS OF TITLE

**John Wettlaufer**, BSc Puget Sound, PhD  
Washington, A M Bateman Professor of  
Geophysics, Mathematics and Physics,  
Yale Climate and Energy Institute.  
Visiting Professor in Mathematics. From  
1 November 2014 for 3 years.

##### RECONFERMENTS OF TITLE

**Julian Barbour**, BA Camb, PhD Cologne.  
Visiting Professor in Physics. From  
1 September 2014 for 3 years.

**Nicholas I M Gould**, BA DPhil Oxf.  
Visiting Professor in Numerical  
Optimisation. From 1 September 2014 for  
3 years.

**David Keen**, BSc Lond, PhD Oxf. Visiting  
Professor in Physics. From 1 November  
2014 for 3 years.

**John Singleton**, BA DPhil Oxf. Visiting  
Professor in Physics. From 1 August 2014  
for 3 years.

**Keiichi Torimitsu**, MSc PhD Keio.  
Visiting Professor in Physics. From  
1 January 2015 for 3 years.

**Edmund Wilson**, BA MA Oxf. Visiting  
Professor in Physics. From 1 January 2015  
for 3 years.

**Stafford Withington**, BEng Brad, PhD  
Manc. Visiting Professor in Astrophysics.  
From 1 October 2014 for 3 years.

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### Musical and other Events

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#### Botanic Garden

##### CRAFTY CHRISTMAS

*11am–1pm, Sat 13 Dec, Botanic Garden  
Conservatory:* Make mini Christmas wreaths  
and decorations from natural materials;  
hang some on our tree and take some home  
with you. Drop-in session, free with entry to  
the garden.

# Lectures

# Examinations and Boards

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## Medical Sciences

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### Department of Pharmacology

Professor Erika Pinter, Pécs, will lecture at 4pm on 15 December in the Department of Pharmacology Lecture Theatre, Mansfield Road.

*Subject:* 'The role of the capsaicin-sensitive sensory fibres in pain and inflammation'

### Nuffield Department of Population Health

Professor Michael Freeman, Oregon HSU, will present a special seminar at 11am on 10 December in the Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building, Old Road Campus. Convener: Dr D Canoy

*Subject:* 'Principles and applications of forensic epidemiology: how epidemiologic methods and data are used to investigate causation in a legal setting'

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## Social Sciences

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### Saïd Business School

#### RESPONSIBLE LEADERSHIP SEMINARS

Dr Paul J Zak, scientist, author and public speaker, will give a seminar at 5.30pm on 8 December at Saïd Business School, followed by a drinks reception. To register: [www.responsibleldrak.eventbrite.com](http://www.responsibleldrak.eventbrite.com).

*Subject:* 'The neuroscience of high performance organisations'

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## Colleges, Halls and Societies

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### St Benet's Hall

Professor Mario Monti will lecture at 3pm on 21 January in St John's Auditorium. Chaired by the Rt Hon Lord Patten of Barnes. Followed by Q&A session and reception. All welcome but places must be booked in advance: [events@stb.ox.ac.uk](mailto:events@stb.ox.ac.uk).

*Subject:* 'Reflections on European disintegration'

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## Examinations for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy

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#### Examinations for the Degree of Master of Philosophy

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##### Social Sciences Board

**MPHIL IN RUSSIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES**

**MSC IN RUSSIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN STUDIES**

name changes to two core papers

##### EMBA

to allow on-course students to take some 'half-electives' in place of full electives

## Colleges, Halls and Societies

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### Obituaries

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#### Keble

**The Revd Canon Dr John Gerald Barton Andrew**, OBE, DD, 17 October 2014; 1951. Aged 83.

**Russell Alfred Clarke**, 6 August 2014; 1949. Aged 86.

**Charles George Day**, 7 August 2014; 1948. Aged 85.

**Raymond (Ray) Farnsworth**, 21 May 2014; 1953. Aged 81.

**Roderic Macleod Forrest**, 25 May 2014; 1948. Aged 87.

**George Alexander Hendry**, 15 October 2014; 1957. Aged 77.

**John Harry Hubble**, 10 August 2014; 1941. Aged 91.

**Kenneth Charles Norman George King**, 30 June 2014; 1951. Aged 84.

**John Ormsby Tudor Owen**, 16 July 2014; 1939. Aged 94.

**Alan Roy Perry**, 5 November 2014; 1967. Aged 75.

**Eric James Pfaff**, 1 November 2014; 1939. Aged 95.

**Robert Michael Purcell**, KCSG, CMG, 18 June 2014; 1947. Aged 90.

**James Lancelot (Lance) Railton**, 4 August 2014; 1971. Aged 62.

**Michael Bohun Ranson**, 23 June 2014; 1948. Aged 91.

**Naomi Ann Stratford (née La Riviere)**, 14 June 2014; 1980. Aged 51.

#### Merton

**Sir Anthony Reeve**, 6 November 2014; 1961. Aged 76.

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**Visiting Oxford from Canberra?** House/apartment swap wanted in Canberra for house in Iffley Village, Oxford, from Oct 2015 to Apr 2016. Situated in a quiet location near the river Thames and 2 miles from Oxford city centre. My home has 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, cloakroom, large kitchen/dining room, first-floor sitting room, garage and a small walled garden. Fully furnished with all mod cons. Car swap considered. Email: marysacks@btinternet.com.

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## Colleges, Halls and Societies

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Christ Church Picture Gallery; Curatorial Assistant; £22,029; 15 December; [www.chch.ox.ac.uk/general-information/employment](http://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/general-information/employment)

Corpus Christi; President; 16 January; [www.russellreynolds.com/executive-opportunities/search](http://www.russellreynolds.com/executive-opportunities/search) or [responses@russellreynolds.com](mailto:responses@russellreynolds.com)

Corpus Christi; Associate Professor and Tutorial Fellow in English; £44,620–£59,914; noon, 8 January; [www.ccc.ox.ac.uk/Vacancies/v/47](http://www.ccc.ox.ac.uk/Vacancies/v/47)

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Jesus; Visiting Senior Research Fellowship; 20 February; [www.jesus.ox.ac.uk](http://www.jesus.ox.ac.uk)

New College; Warden (from 1 October 2016); £98,900 plus allowances; 16 January; [www.new.ox.ac.uk/wardenship](http://www.new.ox.ac.uk/wardenship)

Queen's; Laming Junior Fellow; noon, 23 January; [www.queens.ox.ac.uk/about-queens/vacancies](http://www.queens.ox.ac.uk/about-queens/vacancies)

St Antony's (Programme on Modern Poland at Oxford); POMP Visiting Fellowship (2015–16); £20,000; 16 February; [www.sant.ox.ac.uk/pomp/fellowship.html](http://www.sant.ox.ac.uk/pomp/fellowship.html) or [kaja.wawrzak@sant.ox.ac.uk](mailto:kaja.wawrzak@sant.ox.ac.uk)

St Peter's; Associate Professorship and Tutorial Fellowship in Modern United States History; £44,620–£59,914 plus benefits; 5 January; [www.spc.ox.ac.uk/content/vacancies-and-scholarships](http://www.spc.ox.ac.uk/content/vacancies-and-scholarships)

## External Vacancies

Christ's College, Cambridge; 4-year WHD Rouse Junior Research Fellowship for work in Classics, Indian Languages or Indo-European Philology (from not later than 1 October 2015); noon, 26 January; [www.christs.cam.ac.uk/jobs](http://www.christs.cam.ac.uk/jobs)

Darwin College, Cambridge; Henslow Stipendiary Research Fellowship in Natural Sciences, Engineering, Mathematics, Computer Science and Clinical Sciences (from 1 October 2015); 30 December; [www.darwin.cam.ac.uk/content/henslow-research-fellowship](http://www.darwin.cam.ac.uk/content/henslow-research-fellowship)

Downing College, Cambridge; Everitt Butterfield Research Fellowship; £20,781–£24,775; noon, 22 December; [www.dow.cam.ac.uk/index.php/joining-downing/vacancies](http://www.dow.cam.ac.uk/index.php/joining-downing/vacancies)

St Edmund's College, Cambridge; 2.2-year non-stipendiary Postdoctoral Research Fellowships in either Arts or Sciences (from 1 October 2015); 23 January; [www.st-edmunds.cam.ac.uk/content/postdoctoral-research-fellowships](http://www.st-edmunds.cam.ac.uk/content/postdoctoral-research-fellowships)

Trinity Hall, Cambridge; 3-year Research Fellowship in Medical Law and Ethics (from 1 October 2015); up to £21,470 plus benefits; 5pm, 20 December; [www.trinhall.cam.ac.uk/about/vacancies/detail.asp?ItemID=2465](http://www.trinhall.cam.ac.uk/about/vacancies/detail.asp?ItemID=2465)

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